

**GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT**

Women Development, Child Welfare & Disabled Welfare (JJ) Department – Juvenile Justice (Care & Protection of Children) Act, 2000 (Central Act 56 of 2000 – Constitution of Juvenile Justice Boards & Child Welfare Committees - Extension of tenure upto 30-06-2010 – Orders - Issued.

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WOMEN DEVELOPMENT, CHILD WELFARE & DISABLED WELFARE (JJ) DEPT.

G.O.Ms.No. 10

Dated the 30th March, 2010
Read the following :-

1. G.O.Ms.No.21, WDCW & DW (JJ) Dept. Dt:29-04-2003.
2. G.O.Ms.No.29, WDCW & DW (JJ) Dept. Dt:04-07-2003.
3. G.O.Ms.No.29, WDCW & DW (JJ) Dept. Dt:06-12-2004.
4. G.O.Ms.No.30, WDCW & DW (JJ) Dept. Dt:06-12-2004.
5. G.O.Ms.No.9, WDCW & DW (JJ) Dept. Dt:12-04-2006.
6. G.O.Ms.No.19, WDCW & DW (JJ) Dept. Dt:11-08-2006.
7. G.O.Ms.No.20, WDCW & DW (JJ) Dept. Dt:11-08-2006.
8. G.O.Ms.No.25, WDCW & DW (JJ) Dept. Dt:06.10.2009.
9. G.O.Ms.No.4, WDCW & DW (JJ) Dept. Dt:28-01-2010.

ORDER:

In accordance with section 68 (1) of the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2000, the Government have issued the Andhra Pradesh Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Rules, 2003 in the G.O. 1st read above. According to sub-section (1) section 29 of the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2000 (Central Act, 56 of 2000), the State Government by Notification in the Official Gazette shall constitute for every district or group of district specified in the notification, one or more Child Welfare Committees for exercising the powers and discharging the duties conferred on such Committees in relation to children in need of care and protection under the said Act. Similarly under sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2000 (Central Act 56 of 2000), the State Government by Notification in the Official Gazette shall constitute for every district or group of districts specified in the notification, one or more Juvenile Justice Boards for exercising the powers and discharging the duties conferred on such Boards in relation to Juvenile in conflict with law, under the said Act.

2. In accordance with rule 49 of the Andhra Pradesh Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Rules, 2003, the Government have constituted a Selection Committee in the G.O. 2nd read above for selecting the members of the Juvenile Justice Boards/Child Welfare Committees.

3 Government after careful examination of the said proposals of the Director, Juvenile Welfare, Correctional Services and Welfare of Street Children, A.P., Hyderabad and in order to implement the provisions of the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2000 hereby extend the term of the Juvenile Justice Boards/Child Welfare Committees Constituted in the G.O cited in all the Districts in the State of Andhra Pradesh upto 30-06-2010 or till they are reconstituted, whichever is earlier.

4. Meanwhile, based on the advise of the High Level Committee set up by Hon'ble High Court, Government of Andhra Pradesh has since taken a decision to invite applications by notification from eligible candidates for appointment as members of Juvenile Justice Boards and Child Welfare Committees instead of considering the panel of names recommended by local authority and District Collector'. Until such time as the procedure envisaged is completed, the Government, after due consideration have taken a decision to extend the tenure of Juvenile Justice Boards and Child Welfare Committees upto 30-06-2010 or till such time as Juvenile Justice Boards and Child Welfare Committees are reconstituted accordingly, whichever is earlier.

5. The Director, Juvenile Welfare, Correctional Services & Welfare of Street Children, A.P., Hyderabad shall arrange orientation to the members and assist in operationalising the Juvenile Justice Boards and Child Welfare Committees.
6. Accordingly, the following Notifications shall be published in the next issue of the Andhra Pradesh Gazette:-

NOTIFICATION -I

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) and (2) of section 4 of the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2000 (Central Act 56 of 2000), read with sub-section (1) of section 11 and section 2 (J) of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1973 (Central Act, II of 1974), the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby extend the term of the Juvenile Justice Boards constituted in G.O.Ms.No.4, Dated 28-01-2010, consisting of the Principal Magistrate nominated by the High Court of Andhra Pradesh mentioned in Column (2) of the Table thereunder and the Social Worker Members mentioned in column (3) from 01-04-2010 to 30-06-2010 or till it is reconstituted, whichever is earlier in all the Districts in the State of Andhra Pradesh for exercising the powers and discharging the duties conferred on such Boards under the said Act and the rules made thereunder, with Jurisdiction of the districts mention in column (4) thereof.

NOTIFICATION -II

In exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 29 of the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2000 (Central Act 56 of 2000), the Governor of Andhra Pradesh hereby extend the term of the Child Welfare Committees constituted in G.O.Ms.No.4, Dated 28-01-2010, consisting of the Chair Person mentioned in Column (2) of the Table thereunder and the Members mentioned in column (3) from 01-04-2010 to 30-06-2010 or till it is reconstituted, whichever is earlier in all the Districts in the State of Andhra Pradesh for exercising the powers and discharging the duties conferred on such Committees under the said Act and the rules made thereunder, with Jurisdiction of the districts mention in column (4) thereof.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHR PRADESH)

**M. CHAYA RATAN,
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.**

To
The Director, Juvenile Welfare, Correctional Services &
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